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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
MARC REHFELD, ET AL. : EXAMINER: D. R. ZIRKER  
SERIAL NO: 10/521,786 :  
FILED: JULY 28, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1771  
FOR: STRIP WITH ACOUSTIC :  
DAMPING PROPERTIES

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT AND REQUEST  
FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2007, Applicants elect Group I:  
Claims 33, 35-45, 49, 51, 55-57, 59-60, and 65-92, for further prosecution.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.